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MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT

File No. AFD 38 FLD 58

Department of Agriculture and Forests

Section Forests

Subject: Lands: Grant of..

Devanhalli.

References:

Date	To whom sent	Notes and instructions
		Forest 29/8/58 8/1/60.

Vakeel.R
(ವಿ.ಆರ್. ವಕೀಲ)
ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಅಧೀನ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ,
ಅರಣ್ಯ, ಪರಿಸರ ಮತ್ತು ಜೀವಿಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಇಲಾಖೆ,
(ಅರಣ್ಯ-ಎ).

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Dilawar.

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Sub:- Grant of land in S.No. 54 of Devarahally for starting a Forest College.

1 D.No. 9725/26-8-58 Prd for perusal.
Minutes of the M(Ags)
" Sec A & I^2 may pl examine "
Amendt to the CCF is put up for approval.

29/8

2 " Dka ~~can may be favourable~~ his remarks in the matter "
~~Amendment is put up for approval~~

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D.No. 13527/58

3 The CCF is in favour of release of 50^A of land in S.No. 54 of Devarahalli in Devarahalli Minor Forest for starting a Forest College, Polytechnique & Shri Parashakti Vidyalaya, on lease basis in the first instance. If the Vidyalaya is found to have established the Poly-technique within a period of 3 years, the question of disforestment of the land may be considered. The Vidyalaya may be asked whether it is willing to take land on lease basis only on the above condition. A letter to

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the Vidyalaya is put-up for approval.

Ags 24/1/59

4) The C.E.N. has not clarified if the lease will be free of rent.

Sd/-
29-1-59

5) The Vidyalaya will be asked to state if it undertakes to bear for 3 years, disinvestment afterwards being considered, if there are real foreigners in work.

Munda
31/1
Dr. (Agri.)

6) Yes
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7) The draft letter to the Founder put-up on page 23/c may please be approved

Ags 2/2/59
6/2
5/2/59

(8) Lines amended)
2/2

(Issued — 25/CF).

Ags 16/2/59

a) D. No: 1445/59 — Letter of 11.2.59 from the Founder of Sri Para Bakti Ashram.

b) The Founder of the Ashram agrees to the terms offered in our letter at Page 25/C.F.

11) F.D. may pl. see the proposals for conveyance to the grant of land to the extent of 50 acres to the Ashram.

Aziz
16/2/59.

S.O. put up
17.2.59

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE
No. P-1210
30 JAN 1959
BANGALORE

AGRICULTURE & FOREST SECRETARY
No. 692
2 FEB 1959
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12 The Petitioner should be told that as land is needed for public purpose, the following conditions are suggested

(1) Initial lease will be for 10 years, liable to be cancelled if within 3 years, the proposed institution is not started

(2) Tree-growth on land, if any, will be taken by Forest Dept. unless it is paid for at market rates

(3) A nominal lease amount of Rs 5/- per year per acre may be fixed

(4) The rate is liable to revision after this year at the discretion of the Govt

Subject to the conditions lease can be given after obtaining financial concurrence

Attdg. papers

Under Sec
18/2
(Agri)

Have the local officers like Amildar and the Deputy Commissioner enquired into the bonafides and resources of the institution ?

13

Sec. Agri F.
20/2
Dy. Sec)

The Revenue Officers have not been consulted. Please see letter in para 5 & 6. If he feels to start the institution, the grant will be cancelled. From the Forest Dept. he has asked for lease of land only.

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Under Sec
25/2
(Agri)

The Dep. Com Mangalore Dist. may be consulted as regards the genuineness and resources of the party

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Sec. Agri F.
26/2
(Agri)

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V.G.

11/2/58 26/2/58 Dir Agri) 2/3 Sec. Agri F. 3(3)

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16) A draft letter is put up in respect of para 15 above & will be issued, if appd. The letter at page 31/c is submitted for approval with reference to para 15/supra.

12/3.

Sd/- [illegible]
19.3.59.

Sd/- [illegible]
D.C.

19/3/59

16

Kindly see P.U.D. being a further reminder from Shri Rajarishi Balasanyasi regarding lease of land as mentioned at para 12 above. The D.C. Bangalore has not sent his report. Meanwhile, as discussed with Secretary, A & F and Secretary Education, the file is being submitted for consideration of the case. From the reference, it is seen that Shri Swamiji is leaving for Japan and he is in possession of the documents as pointed out by him and as also seen by the Secretary, A & F personally. In view of the discussions now with the Secretary, Education, we have perhaps no difficulty or doubts about the bonafides of the organisation in question for which the land is being taken. We are actually in need of zealous workers who would sponsor enterprising schemes of technical education etc., and in the present context and we may under the circumstances agree to release him the area on the terms as mentinned at para 12 supra.

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As can be verified from the file, we have already informed the Swamiji that if in the

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three years the technical institution does not come up, we will be free to resume the land as suggested by the C.C.F. in his letter dated 10-12-1958 vide page 21 C.F. We may now communicate approval.

P. Lewis Mathew
D.S., A & F.D. 23/4

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Fin. Ag. (20) 22/4

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21 A G.O. is put up at page 35-39/cs
Ref to para 17 to 20 above which with
issue of approval

Agr. 27/4/59. May be able to Secy (Agri.) Dept. Lease rent Rs 5/- per acre.
(22) 28/4

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(23) Secy Ref.
1. Has the party agreed to it- our lease 2.
2. Has he agreed to pay any lease amount-2.
3. ~~Does the~~ Is not the request for a philanthropic purpose 2

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4) If the party going to make any profit of this.

5) Even if the land has been disposed of in contravention - Govt would have only right - any action against - on the land Mean put-up

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The party has not mentioned anything about the question of lease in the original letter when an application was given for the land on 24-8-1958 addressed to the Minister for Agriculture and Forests. Neither the C.C.F. in his letter No.B3.167-1674/58-59 dated 10-12-1958 page 21/CF has mentioned anything about the question of lease but only stated that he has no objection to the grant of 50 acres of land out of the survey No. in question and subject to the condition that the Forest Department would be at liberty to resume the land in case the Polytechnique is not established within the period of three years. He has recommended the grant of land on lease basis without disafforestation. In our letter No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 10-2-1959 Page 25/CF we did not mention anything about the terms of lease but only stated that it is conditional subject to the institution being established or not.

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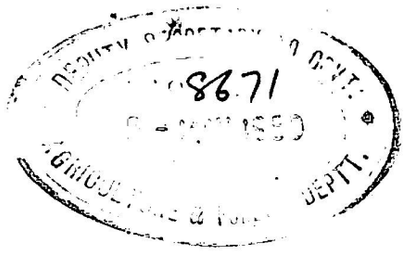
The land is required for philanthropic purpose and the party is not going to make any profit out of it. Under these circumstances, perhaps the question of lease rent does not arise.

P. Venkatachar
D.S., A & F.D.
4/5/59.



Secretary, A & F.D.

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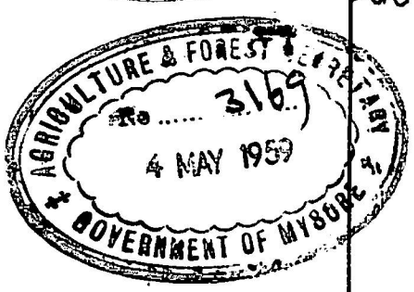
1. The land may be granted to him free of any ~~rent~~ levy on condition that he should use it only for philanthropic purposes.

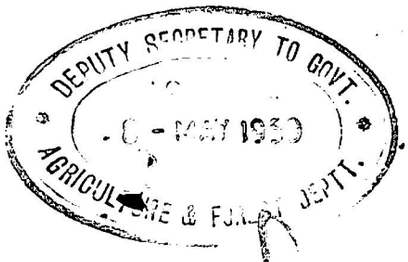


2. That if he does not put up the College buildings fully within three years the land will be summarily resumed without giving any reason

3. That he should not fell any tree in the area without the permission of the forest dept.

4. The forest dept. will have the right to cut and dispose off the timber if any at any time it chooses.

N. Narasimhan
4/5



27 Min Hgli

28 The G.O. already put is revised and put up again at p. 57/c of 22/r to paras 22 to 27 above, which will serve if approved.

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Noted 8/5/59

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put up according to oral instns of the Dy.

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It has come to the notice of the Govt that the Institution is not strong and resourceful and Govt have their own doubt about the project of the Institution for which this grant of 50 acres was made, and also of its success in view of the capacity of the said Institution is very much unproportional to the task lying ahead ~~of the proj~~ connected with this.

It is therefore suggested to keep the grant of land on lease ~~this~~ this order in abeyance until further orders & thorough enquiry is made in the matter. and also to cancel the grant if Govt found it unprofitable and not deserving. 29

For orders whether the G.O. dt 3/5/59 keeping the previous G.O. dated 8/5/59 in abeyance be issued 30

Rao 18/5/59. 31

We may issue this (vide P. 63 C.P.) Consequent on an order to keep in abeyance our previous G.O. as we are to receive the antecedents and particulars of the training to ascertain with the enterprise. This has reference to Govt's decision as the subject PTO 32

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on telephone -

P. Venkatram

18/5.

33 Seg Asst. It is desirable to give grant the land and give possession of it only after the antecedents of the person and his capacity to build the college are enquired into by the Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate Bangalore. Orders may be issued to C.C.F and other concerned not to act upon the proposals orders ahead passed like they hear from this office again. In the meantime order and file may be recalled and the Deputy Commissioner asked to refrain on the points raised above.

18/5

Dy Sec

34 Letter to issue as proposed by Seg. 18/5

35 Seg Asst put up draft/cf any issue reply to paras 33 & 34 above, if approved 36 hrs. should have sent earlier.

Asst 26/5/59.

Sub Asst 26/5/59.

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32 Diary no 6873 (Letter no M2.PR.798/58-59 dated 14.7.1959 from DC Bangalore)

33 The report from Tahsildar, Bangalore with ref to Secy's remarks in para 33 ante is for perusal and orders. 34 Since the grantee has no money, the Rly authorities may be released only after 50% of the total amount required for the fencing is collected.

Sd/-
15.9.59

*Put up

SPM
15/9

Secy (AFT)

35 Some people have complained to the C.M that the Balasamudra has already entered upon the land and is cutting the trees. If this is a fact, it is undoubtedly at the connivance of some lower subordinates in the area. It is at the instance of C.M that the grant was withheld. Call for an urgent report from C.C.F to know this happened. The report must be received within three days. The C.C.F must depute an officer and get a report within 48 hours. Nobody should be allowed to enter upon the land without the permission of Govt.

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AGRICULTURE & FOREST SECRETARY
No. 7264
17 SEP 1959
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Up Clerk

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	41 A draft D.O. letter is submitted in pursuance of para 40 supra for approval.
	Sd/- 17.9.59.
	Sd/- 17/9
	Sec. 22/9.
42	Letter no B3-167-1674/58 dt 21-9-59 from the CCF at p. 61/c (D. 9025) may kindly be perused.
43	In view of his report, there seems, perhaps, not to be no occasion for anxiety so far as felling of trees or clearing of forest growth within forest limits by the founder, is concerned.
44	Further reports from him on 'A' of his letter may be awaited.
	45 The Secy may kindly see the letter from the D.F.O. Bhadravathi dated 18.9.59 at page 61/c with reference to para 40.
Sec. 24/9	Sd/- 25/9/59
	Sd/-
	Sd/- 26/9
46	Secy: (A&F)(1) Call for the final report. Then C.C.F may be asked to endorse the paragraph that the request cannot be granted. 9/10

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65/c

47) Draft ltr to ccf 2pr to para 46 may be issued.

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Noted
5/10.

48) Please see the final report of the ccf at Diary no. 12305 dt 28/11 In view of his report, the file may now be closed.

69/c

Noted
28/12. 49 The report from the C.C.F. (69/c) may be passed with reference to paras 40 to 46.

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Noted 27/1/60

9/1.

Submitted
8.1.60

Seen: 21/1

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27/1.

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X to be returned

Below ~~petition~~ Application No. Dated 24-8-58

From the Founder Parasakti Vidyalaya Taskar Town Bangalore No. 1, Reg request for grant of forest land in S.No 24 of Devarahally for attending a forest college

No. AFD 38 FLD 58 AGRICULTURE & FORREST DEPARTMENTS

(Forest & Animal Husbandry Branch)

Dated, 2-9-1958

C.F. Cir 29.

Forwarded with compliments to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore ~~Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services in Mysore, Bangalore~~, for favour of ~~disposal~~ examination & report.

By order and in the name of the
Governor of Mysore,

Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department.

29/8/58

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T... ...SAKTHI" ESTD.: 1911 VILLUPURAM PHONE : 4248.

Sri Vital Parasakthi Vidyalaya

PALACE GUTTAHALLI BANGALORE 3. FOUNDER — Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas ALL CORRESPONDENCE: TASKER TOWN BANGALORE 1.

Ref. No. 298/58-59. 24th August 1958.

AGRICULTURE & FOREST SECTION 910 5 AUG 1958 GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE No. A-894 22 AUG 1958 BANGALORE

To

The Minister for Agriculture,
Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

Sub:- Establishment of a Forest College, Science and Polytechnic College near Bhadravati Colony, Bhadravathi.

Ref. D.J. May Sec. Pl. examine Sir

Referring to Letter No. 105 dated 15th July 1958 of the Village Panchayat Chairman, Bhadra Colony, the Survey No. 54 of Devarahally, lying vacant, may kindly be allotted for the starting of a Forest, a Polytechnic and Science College, and an Agricultural College, Mines or Geology college for the benefit of the younger generation of Bhadravati ~~Taluk~~, in particular, and for the benefit of the people of the greater ysore State in general. The above said land lying vacant which was reserved for Vidya- nce the Vidyapeetha has been esta- unga Dam (Gajanur) in Shimoga

P.T.O.

2. There is the conspicuous absence [illegible] Forest College in Mysore State now, although Shimoga District in particular has a forest area of about four-thousand square miles possessing trees and forest wealth which may in no way be wanting, compared to the potentialities held forth either near Coimbatore in South India or Dehradun in the North. On account of this, the talented youth have to go to Coimbatore or Dehradun for specialising in Forestry. In fact, most of the officers in the Forest Department now in Mysore have had their training in either of the two Centres above mentione or outside involving heavy financial stake either private or at the cost of the Government.

3. Taking this into account, considering the views of the important members of the public, I have proposed to remove this want in the Vishala Myosre State by establishing a well equipped Forest College, to begin with very near to the Industrial town of Bhadr[illegible] where the activities of the For[illegible] are also conspicous, like [illegible] Fuel Preservation. S[illegible] scheme, the other col[illegible]

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Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya

PALACE GUTTAHALLI
BANGALORE 3.

FOUNDER :
Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas

ALL CORRESPONDENCE:
TASKER TOWN
BANGALORE 1.

Ref. No. 264/58-59. 24-7-1958

have a close relation to the Forest College ~~w~~ will also be started.

I hope early sanction may kindly be accroded, as I wish to start the Forest College Building Laying the Foundation on Wednesday the 22nd October 1958, between 9-45 A.M. and 11-30 A.M.- Vijayadashami Day.

This is an undertaking which will greatly increase the fame and prestige of the Vishala Mysore State in the Great Indian ~~Republic~~ Republic.

A line acknowledging this letter will be appreciated.

Yours faithfully
For Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya
R.B.Sc
Founder.

Dorai L. Krishnamurthy Bhadra
NARAYANA BHAVAN
BHADRA COLONY - BHADRAVATI

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MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. 11208
9 OCT 1958
FOREST BRANCH

To
The Minister for Revenue,
Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.
Camp Bhadra Colony.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR REVENUE
No. P. 2492
17 SEP 1958
BANGALORE

Sir,

In welcoming you this evening as the Revenue Minister of Vishal Mysore, not only we thank you as Minister but also as the Minister of our District. We thank you for the enthusiasm you have towards the betterment of agriculturists in poverty and distress. We, in this village, are living in/poverty while border line of majority of us are living in unspeakable poverty and distress. We have to inform you that our Chairman and Members of Panchayet granted us sites free of cost 180 in number in Bhadra Colony area for construction of houses. Our humble prayer before you now is (1) to grant each one of us 5 acres of land in Nerlahere village reserved for Forest Department. (2) Without lands we cannot exist in this village as such we cannot express our suffering as labourers since 30 years.

MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE
No. A-73
BANGALORE

We request you Sir, to recommend for a grant for construction of model houses to the Housing Board, Mysore, Bangalore, and assist us for erection of houses on instalment basis. We, the Bovis and Harijans and Eradigas, request you to provide funds for purchase of bullocks and carts and also construct houses from Depressed Class Amelioration Fund.

We request that a mechanised farm be established here along with a tractor servicing station as we have a huge industrial unit. The tractor manufactures/ be taken up in view of developing mechanised farming in the country.

The site in S. No. 54 marked as plot (1) is required for the basic school in the Colony for gardening to be introduced to the children in basic education. In this regard we have to mention that ₹500/- worth of garden tools are lying idle. As per your desire, during your Vidyadan movement we developed this institution

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as directed by you and now without a garden land adjoining this school the object is at stand still. So we request you to acquire plot No. 1 in S. No. 54 for the purpose of garden adjoining this school. We have to thank our Government sanctioning 30 Kisan charakas and a new building for training in this art. We request you to grant from the Khadi Board 30 Amber charakas also and improve this institution as a pucca training centre of our Taluk.

Now an important township is to be born and we have ambition of developing this place with modernised amenities and increase the income of our Panchayet. We request the Government to convert all the dry lands of about 40 acres with concessional conversion fee and lay out and help the land-lords to form building sites as already several retired group of personnel employers and servants are desirous of residing in this Colony. We request early action be taken to convert these lands as building sites to ~~our~~ achieve our objects of a good township near the Industrial Town.

Regarding agricultural loan recoveries, we request you humbly to withdraw such action and realise when we are able to pay, this drastic action adopted by the authorities ~~xx~~ be relaxed and orders be passed for recovery by annual instalments.

This Colony is going to be a centre of wisdom and education. We request that vacant land behind the Health Unit in S. Nos. 57, 58 and 59 be granted to the Philonthriphist donor Sri. Rajarishi Bala Sanyasi, Founder of Parasakti Ashram and Vidyalaya for a construction of a Medi-cal College and other Institutions. This site be allotted to him to establish the institutions he has mentioned in his application. The concerned Minister of Health has been approached in regard to the Medical College to be established here. Our Panchayet has also submitted a resolution passed to the concerned authorities for action. Sri. Rajarishi Bala Sanyasi of Parasakthi Ashram has collected already 2½ lakhs of rupees for Forest and Medical Colleges here. In this regard we state that the proposal is already before Government for grant

of 250 acres of land in Devarahalli Village S. No. 54 of Bhadravati Taluk, which is supposed to be Minor Forest, this has no forest of any sort and does not fall in the Hands of forest authorities. This was proposed to for Vidya Peetha to be started but was transferred to Tunga Anicut area. At present, this land will suit for establishing a Forest College. Rajarishi Bala Sanyasi assures us that he will not depend upon the funds of the Government for establishing the educational institutions, if these sites are immediately given possession of, he agrees to construct the buildings immediately. He examined these lands with eminent Medical and Forest advisers and has been impressed to exploit this area for the educational development in the country. The Panchayet Board of ours have no objection in this regard. As per rules in existance the lands asked for may be granted to Rajarishi Bala Sanyasi. The building plan is enclosed herewith for kind perusal.

Bhadra Colony)
12th Septr. 1958.)

Yours faithfully,

Forwarded to Secy for disposal

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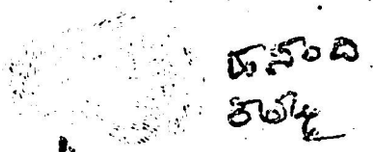

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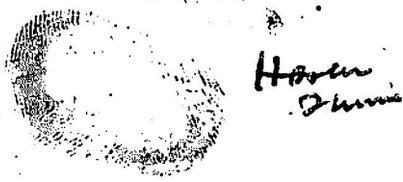

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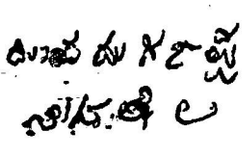

Venkatarama Ramanna

ತಿಳುವಳಿಕೆಯೇ ಶಕ್ತಿ

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ಅಡಮನೆ ಗುಟ್ಟಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಾವು

'ಶ್ರೀ ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ'

ವನ್ನು ಆರಂಭಿಸಿದ್ದೇವೆ

ಸಂಸ್ಥಾಪಕರು : ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಶ್ರೀ ರಾಜರ್ಷಿ ಬಾಲಸನ್ಯಾಸಿ, ಹಿಮಾಲಯಯವರು

ಅನೇಕ ಸ್ಥಳಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಅನೇಕ ಪಾಠಶಾಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆಯಲು ನಾವು

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ನಿರೀಕ್ಷಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

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ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಲ್ಲಿ ಮನವಿ

॥ ನಹಿ ಜ್ಞಾನೇನಸದೃಷಂ ಪವಿತ್ರಮಿಹ ವಿದ್ಯತೆ ॥ ಎಂಬ ಗೀತಾವಾಕ್ಯದಂತೆ ಜ್ಞಾನಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಶ್ರೇಷ್ಠವಾದವಸ್ತು ಬೇರೊಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ಇಂತಹ ಜ್ಞಾನಪ್ರಸಾರವು ಉತ್ತರ ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿರುವ ಶಾಂತನಿಕೇತನದಂಥ ಆಶ್ರಮಗಳಿಂದಲೇ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಲ್ಲದೆ ಬೇರೆ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲ. ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿ ಇಂತಹ ಆಶ್ರಮಗಳು ಕೇವಲ ಅಗೋಚರವಾಗಿರುವುದು. ಅನೇಕ ಮಂದಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾವಂತ ಯುವಕರು ಕೇವಲ ಹೊಟ್ಟೆಪಾಡಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ನೌಕರಿಗೆ ಕೈವೊಡ್ಡಿ ಜೀವನವನ್ನೇ ಧಾರೆಯೆರೆಯುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇಂಥಹ ಯುವಕರನ್ನು ಅವರ ಮನಸ್ಸಂಸ್ಕಾರವನ್ನು ತಿಳಿದು ಉಚ್ಚ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣವನ್ನು ಕೊಡುವುದರಿಂದ ಅವರಲ್ಲಿ ಅನೇಕರು ವಸಿಷ್ಠರಂತೆ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮರ್ಷಿಯೂ ಕಾಳಿದಾಸ, ಮಿಲ್ಟನ್, ಕಂಬ, ಪಂಪ, ರನ್ನ, ಇವರುಗಳಂತೆ ಶ್ರೇಷ್ಠ ಕವಿಗಳೋ ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣ ಪರಮಹಂಸರಂತೆ ಸರ್ವಮತ ಸಮನ್ವಯಾಚಾರ್ಯರೂ, ಪಂಡಿತ ಜವಾಹರ್‌ಲಾಲ್‌ನೆಹರೂರಂತೆ ರಾಜತಂತ್ರ ನಿಪುಣರೂ ಆಗಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಲೌಂಗಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ಜಾತೀಯ ಭೇಧವಿಲ್ಲದೆ ಅನಾಥರು ನಿರಾಶ್ರಿತರು ಆದ ಯುವಕರನ್ನು ಬಂದೆಡೆ ಸೇರಿಸಿ ಇಂಡಿಯಾದೇಶದ ನೈತಿಕ ಧಾರ್ಮಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ದೈವೀ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಯನ್ನು ವಿಶ್ವದ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಭಾಗಗಳಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಪ್ರಸಾರಗೊಳಿಸುವುದೇ ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ಆಶ್ರಮದ ಮುಖ್ಯಧ್ಯೇಯ.

ಇಂತಹ ನಮ್ಮ ಉಚ್ಚಧ್ಯೇಯವು ಮೈದರಿ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನವಾದ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಮನಸೆಳೆದು ಈ ಆಶ್ರಮ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲು ನೆಲಮಂಗಲ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ನಿಜಗಲ್ಲೆಂಬ ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಶ್ರಮ ಯೋಗ್ಯವಾದ ವಿಶಾಲವಾದ ಭೂಮಿಯನ್ನು ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಸಹಾಯಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ನಿಗಲ್ಲೆಂಬ ಗ್ರಾಮವನ್ನು ನಾವು ಚುನಾಯಿಸಲು ಅನೇಕ ಕಾರಣಗಳಿವೆ.

ನೆಲಮಂಗಲ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನ ವಾಯುವ್ಯ ಮೂಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸುರಗಿರಿ ಎಂಬ ಪರ್ವತವಿದೆ. ಈ ಪರ್ವತವು ಪ್ರಾಕೃತಿಕ ಭದ್ರತೆಯನ್ನು ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿದೆ. ಇದನ್ನರ್ಥಿತು ಹಿಂದಿನ ನಾಯಕರು ಇದರ ಸುತ್ತಲೂ ಕೋಟೆಕಟ್ಟಿ ಪಟ್ಟಣವನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಮಿಸಿದರು. ಹಿಂದೆ ರಾರಾಜಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಪಟ್ಟಣವು ಈಗ ಅವಶೇಷವಾಗಿದೆ. ಆಧುನಿಕ ಜನರು ಆ ಪಟ್ಟಣವನ್ನು ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಈಗ ತ್ಯಾಮಗೊಂಡ್ಲೆಂಬ ಜಾಗವಲ್ಲಿ ಊರನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟಿಕೊಂಡು ವಾಸಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಈ ಪರ್ವತವ ಇಳಿಜಾರು ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ವೀರಭದ್ರಸ್ವಾಮಿ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನವೂ, ಜನಿಗಲ್ ಮಠವೆಂಬ ಒಂದು ಗುಹೆಯೂ ಇದೆ. ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ 12 ಅಡಿ

ಉದ್ದವಿರುವ ವೀರಭದ್ರಸ್ವಾಮಿಯ ವಿಗ್ರಹವು ಒಂದು ದೊಡ್ಡ ಕಲ್ಲಿನಮೇಲೆ ಕೆತ್ತಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಯ ಎಡಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ದಕ್ಷನ ಮತ್ತು ಬಲಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಭದ್ರಕಾಳಿಯ ವಿಗ್ರಹವೂ ಇದೆ. ಈ ಬೆಟ್ಟವನ್ನು ಉದ್ದಂಡಯಾನ ಬೆಟ್ಟವೆಂದು ಕರೆಯುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಈರೀತಿ ಕರೆಯಲು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠಿತವಾದ ಉದ್ದವಾದ ವೀರಭದ್ರ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಯ ವಿಗ್ರಹವೇ ಕಾರಣವೆಂದು ಕೆಲವರ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ. ವೀರಭದ್ರಸ್ವಾಮಿಯ ಮುಂದುಗಡೆ ಬಲಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದೂವರೆ ಅಡಿ ಎತ್ತರದ ಕೇಕಸ್ವಾಮಿಯ ವಿಗ್ರಹ ವಿದೆ. ಈ ಕೇಕಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಸಶರೀರವಾಗಿ ಕೈಲಾಸಕ್ಕೆ ಹೋದರೆಂಬುದು ಪುರಾಣೋಕ್ತವಾಗಿದೆ. ಇವರು ದೇವರ ಮುಂದೆ ಉಚ್ಚವಾಗಿ ಹಾಡಿ ಆನಂದ ಭರವಲ್ಲಿ ಕೇಕೇಹಾಕಿ ನಗುತ್ತಿದ್ದುದರಿಂದ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಈರೀತಿ ಹೆಸರು ಬಂದಿರಬಹು ದೆಂಬುದು ಚರಿತ್ರಕಾರರ ಮತ. ಮುಂಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾವದ ನಿರ್ಮಾತೃಗಳಾದ ಹೋಲಿನ ಹಂಪಣ್ಣನವರ ವಿಗ್ರಹದಿಂದ ಕೂಡಿದ ಬಹಳ ಎತ್ತರವಾದ ಕಲ್ಲುಕಂಬ ವಿದೆ. ಸುಶಗಿರಿ ಪರ್ವತಕ್ಕೆ ಹತ್ತುವದಾರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ದೊಡ್ಡ ಬಂಡೆಯಮೇಲೆ ಎರಡುಪಾರ್ಶ್ವಗಳಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ನಂದಿಯೊಡನೆ ಕೂಡಿದ ಕೋಡಿಯಪ್ಪನ ವಿಗ್ರಹವು ಚಿತ್ರಿಸಿದೆ. ಈ ಪರ್ವತದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ನಿಜಗಲ್ಲುದಿಣ್ಣೆ ಅಥವಾ ಸಿದ್ಧರಬೆಟ್ಟ ಎಂಬ ಸ್ಥಳಕ್ಕೆ ಹೋಗಲು ಬಹಳ ಕಷ್ಟತರವಾಗಿದೆ. ಕೋಟಿಯೊಳಗೆ ಪೂರ್ವಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿನ ಪಾಳೆಯಗಾರರು ತಾವು ಶೇಕಖರಿಸಿ ಇಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಮದ್ದು ಗುಂಡಿನಗುಹೆ ರಾಗಿಯ ಖಣಜ ಮತ್ತು ಅವರು ವಾಸಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಅರಮನೆಗಳು ಈಗ ಅವಶಿಷ್ಟವಾಗಿದೆ. ಈಗಲೂ ರಾಗಿಯ ಖಣಜದಲ್ಲಿ ರಾಗಿಯ ಕಾಳುಗಳನ್ನು ನೋಡಬಹುದು. ಈ ಪರ್ವತವಲ್ಲಿ ಕಂಚಿನದೊಣೆ, ಅನೆಯದೊಣೆ, ಸಿದ್ಧರದೊಣೆ, ಅಕ್ಕತಂಗಿಯರದೊಣೆ, ಮುಂತಾವ ಅನೇಕ ಸಣ್ಣಸಣ್ಣ ಕೊಳಗಳಿವೆ. ಇವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿದ್ಧರದೊಣೆಯೇ ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧವಾದುದು ಇವರ ಪಾನೀಯವು ತಂಪಾಗಿಯೂ ಮನಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ಆಹ್ಲಾದಕರ ವಾಗಿಯೂ ಇರುವುದು. ಈ ಕೊಳದ ಸಮೀಪದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಬ್ಬ ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧ ಫಕೀರರ ಗೋರಿ ಇದೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಮಹಮದ್ದೀಯರೇ ಪೂಜೆಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಹಿಂದೂಗಳೂ ಸಹ ಈ ಗೋರಿಗೆ ಫಕೀರರಿಂದ ತಮ್ಮ ಪೂಜೆಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಇದರ ಸಮೀಪವಲ್ಲಿ ರಸಸಿದ್ಧರ ಗುಡಿ ಇದೆ. ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿದ್ಧರದಾರುಮಯ ವಿಗ್ರವಿದೆ. ಹಿಂದುಗಳೇ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಪೂಜೆಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಮಂಗಳವಾರ, ಗುರುವಾರ, ಶುಕ್ರವಾರ ಗಳು ವಿಶೇಷ ಪೂಜಾದಿನಗಳು ಮಹಮ್ಮದೀಯರು ಸಿದ್ಧರದೊಣೆಯ ಸಮೀಪದಲ್ಲಿ ರುವ ಗೋರಿಗೆ ಇದೇ ದಿನಗಳಲ್ಲಲ್ಲದೆ ಭಾನುವಾರದಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಸಹ ಪೂಜೆ ನಡೆಸು ತ್ತಾರೆ. ಪೂರ್ವಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಋಷಿಗಳು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ರಸಸಿದ್ಧಿಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆದು. ಅದರಿಂದ ಯಾವಲೋಹವನ್ನಾದರೂ ಸುವರ್ಣ ಮಯವಾಗಿ ಮಾಡುವ ಶಕ್ತಿ ಸಂಪಾದಿಸಿದ್ದ ರಿಂದ ಈ ಸ್ಥಳಕ್ಕೆ ರಸಸಿದ್ಧರ ಬೆಟ್ಟವೆಂದು ಪ್ರತೀತಿ ಇದೆ. ರಸಸಿದ್ಧರ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನ ದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಭೀಷ್ಟಸಿದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿಜ್ಞೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಇಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಬಂದ ಭಕ್ತರ ಮನೋಭೀಷ್ಟವು ನೆರವೇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಬಹಳ ದೂರ ದೇಶಗಳಿಂದ ಭಕ್ತರು ಬಂದು ತಮ್ಮ ಸೇವೆಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿ ಇಷ್ಟಾರ್ಥವನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಅಕ್ಕತಂಗಿಯರ

ದೋಣಿಹತ್ತಿರ ಹಾಳು ಬಿದ್ದಿರುವ ದೊಡ್ಡ ನರಸಿಂಹದೇವರ ಗುಡಿ ಇದೆ. ಇಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ದೇವರ ವಿಗ್ರಹವನ್ನು ಪುರಜನರು ತ್ಯಾಮಗೊಂಡ್ಲಿಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಹೋಗಿರುತ್ತಾರೆಂತ ತಿಳಿದುಬಂದಿದೆ. ಇನ್ನೂ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಕೆಳಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಮಹಮ್ಮದೀಯರ ಗೋರಿ ಇದೆ. ಈ ಬೆಟ್ಟದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಹಮ್ಮದೀಯರು ಮತ್ತು ಹಿಂದೂಗಳು ಸಿದ್ದರ ದೊಣೆಯ ಹತ್ತಿರ ಎಷರು ಬಮರು ಪೂಜೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಎರಡು ಕೋಮಿನವರೂ ಬಹಳ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದತೆಯಿಂದಲೂ ನಿರ್ವೈರತೆಯಿಂದಲೂ ವರ್ತಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಇದೇ ಈ ಸ್ಥಳದ ವೈಶಿಷ್ಟ್ಯ. ಇಲ್ಲಿಂದ ಮುಂದೆ ತಗ್ಗಾದ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಗುಹೆಯೋಳಗೆ ಈಶ್ವರ ದೇವಾಲಯವಿದೆ. ಇದರ ಬಂಡೆಯ ಮೇಲೆ ಗಣಪತಿ, ವೀರಭದ್ರ ಮತ್ತು ಸುಬ್ರಹ್ಮಣ್ಯರ ವಿಗ್ರಹವೂ ಸುಂದರವಾಗಿ ಕೆತ್ತಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಈ ಪರ್ವತವು ಮಹಮ್ಮದೀಯರಿಗೂ ಹಿಂದೂಗಳಿಗೂ ಪವಿತ್ರವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಭಾಗವು ಮತಭೇದವಿಲ್ಲದೆ ನಿರ್ವೈರ ಸ್ಥಳವಾದ್ದರಿಂದಲೇ ನಾವು ಈ ಸ್ಥಳವನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಆಶ್ರಮಸ್ಥಾಪನೆಗೆ ಚುನಾಯಿಸಿರುತ್ತೇವೆಂಬುದು ತಮಗೆ ಈಗ ವೇದ್ಯವಾಗ ಬಹುದು.

ಈ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನಗಳನ್ನೂ ಮತ್ತು ಇದರ ಸುತ್ತುಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನೆ ಆಶ್ರಮ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಮುಜರಾಯಿ ಕಮಿಷ್ನರವರ ತಾರೀಖು 14-12-1940ನೇ ಪಿಸಿ ೫೫೫-೫೫ ಮತ್ತು 6-5-41ನೇ R. D. ೬೬೮-೬೪೧ನೇ ಹುಕ್ಕುಂಗಳ ಮೂಲ್ಕ ನಮಗೆ ಮಂಜೂರ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಲೈಂಗಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ಜಾತಿಮತಗಳ ಒಳಭೇದವಿಲ್ಲದೆ ನೈತಿಕ ಧಾರ್ಮಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ದೈವೀ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಯನ್ನು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸುವ ಆಶ್ರಮ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆಗೆ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರು ತಾವಾಗಿಯೇ ಎಚ್ಚೆತ್ತು ತಮ್ಮ ಕೈಮೀರಿ ಸಹಾಯ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು. ಜಾತಿಮತಗಳ ಒಳಭೇದವಿಲ್ಲದೆ ಈ ಆಶ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಖ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಅನಾಥರಿಗೂ ನಿರಾಶ್ರಿತರಿಗೂ ಸ್ಥಾನಕಲ್ಪಿಸುವುದೇ ಪ್ರಥಮ ಕಾರ್ಯವಾಗಿರುತ್ತೆ.

ಮಾನವನ ನೈತಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ಧಾರ್ಮಿಕ ಉನ್ನತಿಗೆ ದುಡಿಯುವುದೇ ನಮ್ಮ ಧ್ಯೇಯ ಮಾನವೀಯತೆಯ ಭಾವನೆಯುಳ್ಳ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಮಾನವನಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಈ ಇಚ್ಛೆ ಅಂಕುರಿಸ ಬೇಕೆಂಬುದೇ ನಮ್ಮ ಕೋರಿಕೆ.

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರೇ ಎಚ್ಚೆತ್ತುಕೊಳ್ಳಿ.

ಇಂತಹ ಸದವಕಾಶವನ್ನು ಉಪಯೋಗಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಜೀವನ ಮಟ್ಟದಿಂದೆದ್ದು ಅನಾಥರಿಗೂ ಮತ್ತು ನಿರಾಶ್ರಿತರಿಗೂ ಧಾರಾಳವಾಗಿ ಸಹಾಯ ನೀಡಿ ಆತ್ಮೋನ್ನತಿಯ ಪಥವನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಿರಿ.

ಸುಖ ಶಾಂತಿಗಳು ತಮ್ಮೆಲ್ಲರಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಚಿರವಾಗಿ ನಿಲ್ಲಲಿ.

ತಮ್ಮ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಸಹಾಯಗಳನ್ನು ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ವಿಳಾಸಕ್ಕೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ಆಶ್ರಮ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು.

ಶ್ರೀಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ಆಶ್ರಮ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ತಾ|| 2-3-55ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿದೆ.

ಓರಿಯಂಟ್ ಪವರ್ ಪ್ರೆಸ್, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-೨.

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ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–೧.

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆ:

ಪ್ರಜಾ ಪ್ರಭುತ್ವಹೊಂದಿದ ಯಾವ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರವೆ ಆಗಲಿ, ಸುಧಾರಣೆಯಾಗಿ "ಪ್ರಜಾ ಪ್ರಭುತ್ವ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರವೆನಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾದರೆ, ಆ, ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರದಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬನಾಗರಿಕನೂ ವಿದ್ಯಾವಂತ, ಹಾಗೂ, ಜ್ಞಾನವಂತನಾಗಬೇಕಾದುದುಅಗತ್ಯ. ಹಾಗೆ, ವಿದ್ಯಾವಂತನಾದಾಗಲೆ "ನಾಗರಿಕನು". ತಾನು, ತನ್ನ ಹೊಣೆ, ಹಾಗೂ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯ ಅರಿತುಕೊಂಡು ತನ್ನರಾಷ್ಟ್ರನಿರ್ಮಾಣಕಾರ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿಹೊಣೆಹೊರಬಲ್ಲ. ಬ್ರಿಟನ್ನಿನಪ್ರಖ್ಯಾತಲೇಖಕರಸ್ಕಿನ್, ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರವು ತನ್ನತನ್ನಮೂಲಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಯೆನ್ನೆಕೆದಕಿಅದರತಳಪಾಯದಂತೆಮೂಲಕ್ಕೆ ಚ್ಯುತಿ ತಾರದೆ ಸುಧಾರಣೆ ಕೈಗೊಂಡಲ್ಲಿ ಅದು ತನ್ನಪರಂಪರೆ ಹಾಗೂ, ಸುಸಂಕೃತ್ಯ ಕಾಪಾಡಿಕೊಂಡು ಒಂದು ಉಚ್ಚನಾಗಾರಿಕ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರವಾಗಬಲ್ಲುದು. ಅಂತೆಯೇ ಭಾರತಿಯ ಆಚಾರ್ಯ ಪುರುಷರೆನಿಸಿದ. ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ವಿವೇಕನಂದರು ಸಹ ಜಗತ್ತಿನ ಇತರ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ: "ಭಾರತದ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ ಪರಂಪರೆ ಅ್ಯಂತತ ಹಿರಿದಾದುಭಾರತೀಯರು ಪರಮ ಆಧ್ಯಾತ್ಮಿಕರು. ನಮ್ಮಲ್ಲಿ ಆಧ್ಯತ್ಮಿಕ ಸಂಪತ್ತು ಹೇರಳವಾಗಿದೆ. ಭಾರತಿಯ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯು ಬರೆ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲ· ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಪಟ್ಟರೆ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬನು ಮಹಾ ಶಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಬಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ಕಾರ್ಯತ: ಮಾಡಿ ತೋರಿಸಿಮಾರ್ಗದರ್ಶನಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಪುಷ್ಠಿಕರಿಸುವಂತೆ, ಮಿಲ್ಟನ್ ಕವಿಯು ಪ್ರಪಂಚದಲ್ಲಿ ಲಕ್ಷಾವದಿ ದೇವತೆಗಳು ನಮ್ಮ ಕಣ್ಣುಮುಂದೆ ಅಡ್ಡಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದರೂ, ಸಹ ನಾವು ಅವರನ್ನು ಕಣ್ಣೆತ್ತಿ ಕಂಡಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅಂದಮೇಲೆ, ಮಾನವತೆಯತ್ತ ಜನಾಂಗ ಸಾಗಬೇಕಾಗಿದ್ದರೆ, ಭಾರತಿಯ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಗೆ ಅನುಗುಣವಾಗಿ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ ಆಧ್ಯತ್ಮಿಕ ವನ್ನೊಳಗೊಂಡ ಉಚ್ಚತರ ಗತಿಯ ಶೀಕ್ಷಣ ನಮ್ಮ ಭಾವಿ ಜನಾಂಗಕ್ಕೆ ಅಗತ್ಯ. ಈ ಉದ್ದಿಶ್ಯದಿಂದಲೇ 1917 ರಿಂದ ಶ್ರೀ ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ಆಶ್ರಮವೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಅರಮನೆ ಗುಟ್ಟಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿ ತನ್ಮೂಲಕ ನಾಡಿಗೆ, "ವಯೋವೃದ್ಯರೂ, ಮಹಾ ತಪಸ್ವಿಗಳೂ ಆದ ಹಿಮಾಲಯದ ರಾಜರ್ಷಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಭಾಲಸನ್ಯಾಸಿಯವರ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸ್ಥಳದಲ್ಲಿ "ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಮಾಡಿ ನಡೆಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಬರಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಈಗ ಇದರ ಶಾಖೆ ಒಂದನ್ನು ಭಾರತದ ಬರ್ಮಿಂಗ್‌ಹಾಂವೆನಿಸುವಭದ್ರಾವತಿಯಲ್ಲಿಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ನಿರ್ಧರಿಸಿ ಈ ಆಸೆಯನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಳಿಯ ನಗರ ಸಭೆಯವರಿಗೆ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿ ಅವರು ತಮ್ಮ ಉದಾರತೆಯಿಂದ ಹಳೆ ಭದ್ರಾವತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಕ್ಕೆ ಬೇಕಾಗುವ ಜಾಗವನ್ನು ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದರ ಕಟ್ಟಡಕ್ಕೆ ಬೇಕಾಗುವ ನಕ್ಷೆ ಇತ್ಯಾದಿಗಳನ್ನು ಈಗಾಗಲೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಸದ್ಯದಲ್ಲೆ ಕೆಲಸ

ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಈ ಉಭಯ ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸಹಸ್ರಾರು ಬಡ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ, ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಕನ್ನಡ, ಇಂಗ್ಲಿಸ್, ಹಿಂದಿ, ತೆಲುಗು, ಹಾಗೂ ತಮಿಳು ಭಾಷೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ, ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಾಧ್ಯಮಿಕ, ಮಾಧ್ಯಮಿಕವರೆಗೆಶೀಕ್ಷಣ ಕೊಡುವ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು, ಇದರಂತೆಯೇ ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿಯ ಶಾಲೆಗಳಿರುವಲ್ಲೆಲ್ಲಾ ಮೂಲ ಪರಂಪರೆಯನ್ನು ಕಾಪಾಡಿಕೊಂಡು ಬರಲು ಉಚಿತಶಾಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಪ್ರಾರಂಬಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದುಗುರಿನಾವಿಟ್ಟು ಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ, ಆದರೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಗುರಿಯನ್ನು ನಾವು ಮುಟ್ಟುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಲು, ದಯಾ, ಹಾಗೂ ಉದಾರ ಗಳಾದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಂದ, ಸಾರ್ವತ್ರಿಕವಾಗಿ ಸಹಾಯ, ಧನ ಸಹಕಾರ, ಸಲಹೆಗಳು ಅತ್ಯಅಗತ್ಯವೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಾವುಗಳು ಮರೆಯದೆನಮ್ಮ ಈ ಮಹಾಸಂಕಲ್ಪವನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ತಿಗೊಳಿಸಿಕೊಡಲು ನೀವುನಿಮ್ಮ ಕೊಡುಗೈಯಿಂದಮುಂದೆ ಬಂದುಸಹಕರಿಸುತ್ತೀರಿ ಯೆಂಬ ತುಂಬುಭರವಸೆ ನಮಗಿದೆಯಾದ್ದರಿಂದ ನಮ್ಮಈಭಿನ್ನಹವನ್ನು ನಿಮ್ಮಲ್ಲಿಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಸಹಾಯಧನ ಕಳಿಸುವ ವಿಳಾಸ ಕೆಳಗಿದೆ.

ಬ್ಯಾಂಕರ್ಸ್ :

ಶ್ರೀ ಪರಾಶಕ್ತಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಭದ್ರಾವತಿ ಮತ್ತು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ೧.

ದಿ. ಕೆನರಾ ಬೇಂಕಿಂಗ್ ಕಾರ್ಪೊರೇಶನ್ ಲಿ., ಭದ್ರಾವತಿ.

ದಿ. ಕೆನರಾ ಇಂಡಸ್ಟ್ರಿಯಲ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿಂಗ್ ಸಿಂಡಿಕೇಟ್ ಲಿ.,
ಗಾಂಧಿನಗರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-೯.

(ಈ ಉಭಯ ಬೇಂಕುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಸರಲ್ಲಿ ಜಮಾ ಮಾಡಬಹುದು.)

ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ ಪ್ರೆಸ್, ಭದ್ರಾವತಿ.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

OFFICE OF THE
CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS
IN MYSORE, BANGALORE

No.B3-167-1674/58-59 Dated/ 10 December, 1958

MYSORE GOVT. SECRETARIAT
NO.
11 DEC
A. & F. DEPTT., CO-OPERATION BRANCH

To

The Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department,
Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore.

Sir,

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF THE FOUNDER, PARASAKTI VIDYALAYA, TASKER TOWN, BANGALORE FOR GRANT OF FOREST LAND IN S.NO.54 OF DEVARAHALLI VILLAGE NEAR BHADRAVATHI FOR STARTING A POLY-TECHNIQUE ETC

Reference: Your Memo No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 2-9-1958 and AFD 11208/58 dated 15-10-1958.

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I write to state that the applicant is requesting for release of lands in S.No.54 of Devarahalli included in Devarahally Minor Forest, Bhadravati Range for the purpose of starting a forest college, Poly-technique etc. As Bhadravathi is a developing industrial centre the establishment of Poly-technique by private donation at this place is a welcome feature. Therefore I have no objection to the grant of 50 acres land out of the survey number in question provided the ability to undertake this laudable enterprise successfully, subject to the conditions that the forest department would be at liberty to resume the land if it is found that the Poly-technique is not established within a period of 3 years. The area may be granted on lease basis without disafforestation.

Orders of Government may kindly be communicated early.

The enclosures are retransmitted.

Yours faithfully,

(K.Kadambi)
CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO.1353
16 DEC 1958
FOREST BRANCH

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[Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT Grant of land in S.N.° 56 of Devarahalli for starting a Forest College etc

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

Section

File No.

Mysore Government Secretariat.

Serial No.

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No. AHD 38 FLD 58, 10/2/59

Date of issue

To

The Founder
Shri Parasakthi Vidyalaya
Tasker Town, Bangalore

Signed by

Sir,

Ref:- Your letter No. 298/58-5
Dated 24-8-58 on the above mentioned subject.

I am directed to state that Govt proposes to grant 50 acres of land in S.N.° 56 of Devarahalli for starting Forest College, Polytechnic and Science College etc on lease basis, leases for a period of 5 years in the first instance subject to the condition that if the Polytechnic is not established within a period of three years

to grant of lease basis of such land for 3 years in the first instance will be considered, if you agree to the lease be cancelled, the amount of reasonable improvements in regard to such building

Rec 2nd letter
R/Sec
10/2/59

List of enclosures

Copied by

Examined by

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the land will be resumed by Govt and Dept

If you are willing to accept these conditions, the land will be granted to you Vide yalaya on lease terms.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- DS
Dte: 26/1/59

Copy forwarded to the C.C.F. Bijapur for information, with ref to his letter No. B3-167-1674/58-59, dated 10-12-58.

I am directed to state that Govt are considering the question of leasing 50 acres of Forest land in Sy No 52 of Devarahalli in favour of the said Govt, for the establishment of a Poly-technique. Subject to the condition that Govt will be entitled to cancel the said lease if within 3 years of grant of lease, no reasonable progress is made in the matter of the said institution to the satisfaction of Govt.

Before finalising the proposal, Govt desire to know in advance, your views in the matter, on receipt of which the details of the proposal, the terms and conditions of lease, will be communicated to you. Govt will also be glad to know whether the land is required by the Forest Dept for any purpose in future.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

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The
Agriculture & Forest Department

The Founder,
Shri Parasakthi Vidyalaya,
Tasker Town, Bangalore-1.

Sir,

Sub:- Grant of land in S.No.54 of Devarhalli for starting a Forest College etc.

Ref:- Your letter No.298/58-59 dated 24-8-58 on the above mentioned subject.

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I am directed to state that Government will consider the question of leasing 50 acres of Forest land in S.No.54 of Devarahalli on terms to be fixed, for the establishment of a Poly-technique, subject to the condition that Government will be entitled to cancel the said lease, if within 3 years of lease, the institution is not established. On receipt of the details of the proposal, intimation of the acceptance of the proposal, the question of leasing 50 acres will be actively considered.

Yours faithfully,

(M.N. Gundu Rao)
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore, for information, with reference to his letter No.B3-167-1674/58-59 dated 10-12-58.

Cnn.10/2/59

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Tel : "Parasakthi"
Phone : 4248 & 4248A

HEAD QUARTERS:
NIJAGAL

Sri Parasakthi Ashram
(ESTD. 1917)

Bodi Guha
Near Kedarnath

ALL CORRESPONDENCE
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
BANGALORE-1.

FOUNDER
Rajarishi Balasanyasi of the Himalayas

Ref: No. 585/58-59. 11th February 195 9

To,
The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Agriculture & Forest Department,
Mysore Government Secretariat,
Vidhana Soudha,
BANGALORE.

AGRICULTURE & FOREST
No. 20
12 FEB 1959
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
No. 114-145
16 FEB 1959
FOREST BRANCH

Sir,

Sub:-Grant of land in S.No.54 of Devarahalli for starting a Forest College etc.,

Ref:-1) My letter No.298/58-59 dated 24-8-58. on the above mentioned subject.
2) Your Office reply No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 10-2-59.

I am very happy to note the contents of your reply reference No.2; the terms of which are suitable and agreeable to me and my purpose.

Is is my intention to start the Poly-techniqus Institute with a strength of 100 students and about 9 to 10 members on the staff, who will be qualified and retired hands. The Institute will be a residential one both for the students as well as for the staff. Apart from the cost of the ~~structures~~ structure and other capital expenses, which are under scrutiny, the recurring expenses will be about Rs.5000/-(Rupees Five thousand), per month. This is the skeleton detail of the Institute for the time-being.

The term stated in your reply that " the Government will be entitled to cancel the said lease, if within 3 years of lease, the Institution is not establised " is acceptable to me and I shall strive

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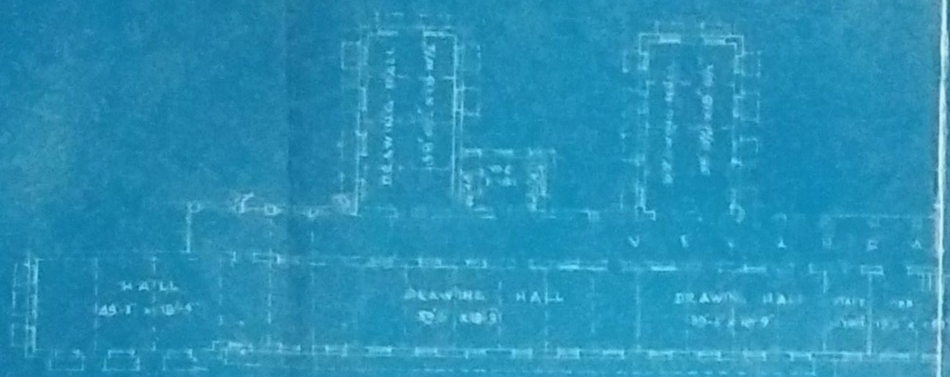

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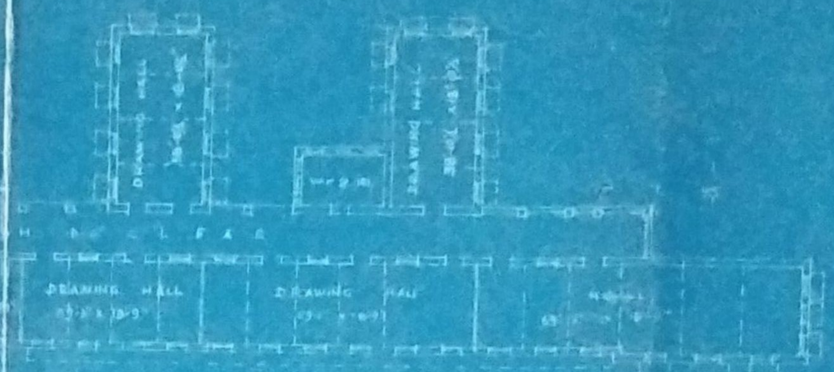

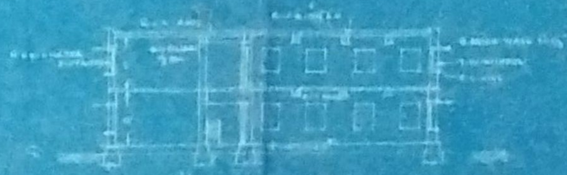

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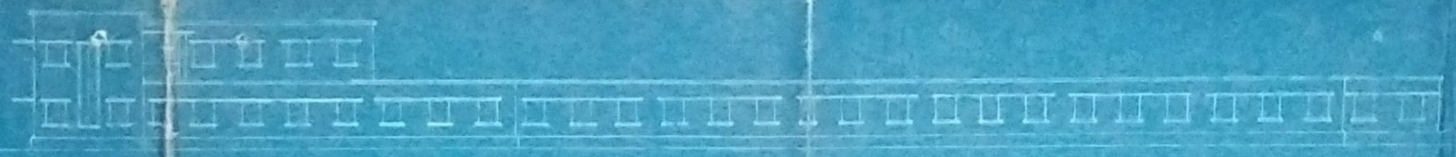

SIDE ELEVATION

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LEGEND

DESIGN FOR
PARASKTHI POLYTECHNIC
AT DEVARAHALLY
NEAR BHADRA COLONY
BHADRAVATHI
SCALE 1"=10'-0"

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my best to establish the Institute within 3 years from the date on which I am put in possession of the land so leased out and demarkated.

In view of my acceptance of your proposal and my having given the preliminary details of the Institution, I request you kindly to expedite the grant of the lease for the charitable purpose envisaged by me.

It may not be out of place if I add here that I do not aspire for ~~any~~ help from the Government other than the Grant of lease of the land.

The Blue Print in respect of construction the Institution is herewith attached for reference, satisfaction and return.

Yours faithfully,

For Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya,

R. B. Sm

Founder.

Encl:- One Blue-Print.

No. AFD 38 FLD 58

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To

The Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore Dist, B'lore

Sir,

Sub:- Grant of land in S.No. 54 of Talk. Devarahally, Bhadravathi for starting a Forest College

I am directed to state that the Founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas, Talkar Town, Bangalore-1, has approached Govt for grant of 50 acres of land in Devarahally Minor forest for starting of a number of educational institutions such as Forest College etc., and to request you to appraise Govt of the feasibility of such a grant to them and the genuiness and resources of the Institution concerned.

An immediate report on the matter is solicited requested.

Yours faithfully,

A 19/3
D/S
A 87.

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Copy to the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, Shimoga for a similar report on the matter

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TEL "PARASAKTHI" ESTD.: 1917. VILLUPURAM PHONE : 4248.

Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya

PALACE GUTTAHALLI
BANGALORE 3.

FOUNDER:
Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas

ALL CORRESPONDENCE:
TASKER TOWN
BANGALORE 1.

Ref. No.....

14th April 1959

To
The Secretary to Government,
Agriculture and Forest Department,
Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore.

DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVT. NO 1188 14 APR 1959 AGRICULTURE & FOREST DEPTT.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to my previous petition dated 11-2-1959, I have to state that so far I have not received any reply to my reference along with the blueprints for the Polytechnic and Forest College mentioned therein.

As I am going out to Japan shortly and my passport is ready, I feel that it will of great help and contribute to my peace of mind if the promised land is leased at an early date.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours faithfully,

R. B. Sarma

(Rajarishi Balasanyasi)

Let me see. Can see me at once. See has phone time re: this pl.

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SUBJECT Forest
Grant of 50 acres of land in S.No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk for starting a Forest College, polytechnic etc. to the founder Sri. Rajarshi Balasangayi of Shimalayas of Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya.

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Section

Serial No.

File No. AFD 38 FLD 58

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore

No. 298/58-59 dt. 24/8/58 — p 3/cf

Read— Representation from the founder Sri. Rajarshi Balasangayi of Shimalayas, of Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya, Jasker Town, Bangalore-1, requesting for ~~Order thereon.—No.~~ grant of 50 acres on lease of land in S.No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk for starting a Forest College etc.,

2) Letter no B3. 167-1674/58-59 from the CCF. Bglore, dated 10-12-59, furnishing his views — p 21/cf in the matter.

ORDER:-

After a careful consideration of all the factors and circumstances of the claim, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the grant of 50 acres of land on lease, in FS 1100. 5½ of Devarahally, Bhadravathy Taluk, to the Founder of Sri Parasakthi Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas Subject to the following Conditions Stipulated below:-

1) The said land will be on lease for 10 years in the first instance, the lease being liable to be cancelled if within 3 years from the date of possession of the land the proposed institution is not started.

List of Enclosures.

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(2) The land is ~~not~~ disafforested. Tree growth if any on land will be disposed of to the best advantage of Govt by the CCF Bangalore, unless it is paid for at market rates.

3) A nominal ~~Lease~~ rent of Rs 5/- per acre ~~annually~~ per year is prescribed

4) The rate is liable to revision after five years at the discretion of Government.

The CCF, Bangalore is requested to take action accordingly and hand over the area referred to above after it is measured and demarcated to the petitioner and keep Govt posted with the progress of work of this enterprise.

By order etc

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This 4 interest to Govt approval as Govt sanction be in possession the Govt. Land under this Cultivation

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Copy to:

1) The CEE, Bangalore with reference to his letter.
No. B3. 167-169/58-59 dt. 10-12-59.
2) The D.E. Shimoga
3) —"— Bangalore
4) The Foreman of the Parasakthi Vidyalaya, Jasker Town, Block-1.
5) Sr. Gr. (4 copies)

Note:
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SUBJECT Grant of 50 acres of Forest Land in S. No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk for Starting a Forest College, Polytechnic etc., to the founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Sri. Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas

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Serial No.

File No. AFD 38 FLD 58. dt 8-5-59

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore

Read— Representation no. 298/58-59 (P3/4) dated 24-8-58 from the founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Jankey Towers, Bangalore-1, requesting for grant of 50 acres of land on lease in S.No. 54 of Devarahally Bhadravathi Taluk, for starting a Forest College etc.,

2) Letter no. B3. 167-167A/58-1 dated 10-12-59 from the CCF, Bangalore (P21/4) furnishing his opinion in the matter.

ORDER

After a careful consideration of all the aspects and circumstances of the claim, Government

are pleased to accord sanction to the grant of 50 acres of land on lease, in ~~78~~ No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk, Shimoga Dt, to the Founder Sri Rajarishi Balagangadharanatha Swamiji of Sri Malagara, of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, subject to the conditions stipulated below:-

(i) The land is granted on lease free of any levy on condition that he should use it only for philanthropic purposes;

(ii) That if he does not put up the College buildings fully within three years, the land will be summarily resumed by Government

List of Enclosures.

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without giving any reason.

(iii) That he should not fell any trees in the area without the permission of the Forest Department.

(iv) The Forest Department will have the right to cut and dispose off the timber if any, at any time it chooses.

2) the CCF, Bangalore, is requested to take action accordingly and hand over the area referred to above after it is measured and demarcated, to the petitioner and keep Govt posted with the progress of this enterprise.

By order etc.,

Sd/-

D/S

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Received the order R. B. Sawmill 8/5/52

Memo: 8/5/52

To

The CCF in Mysore, Bangalore,

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~~2/x b. Sri Lakshmana B~~

2) The D C, Shimoga

3) —do—, B'lore.

4) The Trustee of Sri Parvathi Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarajeshwari Balasamaja of Malleswaram, Yashwanthpur, Bangalore-1.

5) Spare (4 Cs)

Approved
8/5

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Subject-Grant of 50 acres of Forest land in S.No.34 of Devarahally, Chandravathi Taluk for starting a Forest College, Polytechnic etc., to the Founder of Sri Paramukti Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarishi Balamuryasi of Himalayas.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE
Agriculture & Forest Department
G.O.No.AFD 38 FLD 49 dated the 9th May 1950

Read:- Representation No.176/38-39 dated 26-8-39 from the Founder of Sri Paramukti Vidyalaya, Jasmer Town, Bangalore-1, requesting for grant of 50 acres of land on lease in S.No.34 of Devarahally, Chandravathi Taluk, for starting a Forest College etc.,

Letter No.FS.167-1674/38-9 dated 11-12-39 from the Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore furnishing his opinion in the matter.

O R D E R. - After a careful consideration of all the aspects and circumstances of the claim, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the grant of 50 acres of land on lease, in S.No.34 of Devarahally, Chandravathi Taluk, Mysore District, to the Founder Sri Rajarishi Balamuryasi of Himalayas, of Sri Paramukti Vidyalaya, subject to the conditions stipulated below:-

(i) The land is granted on lease free of any levy on condition that he should use it only for philanthropic purposes;

(ii) that if he does not put up the College buildings fully within three years, the land will be summarily resumed by Government without giving any reason;

(iii) that he should not fell any trees in the area without the permission of the Forest Department;

(iv) the Forest Department will have the right to cut and dispose off the timber if any, at any time it chooses.

2. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore, is requested to take action accordingly and hand over the area referred to above after it is measured and demarcated to the Petitioner and keep Government posted with progress of this enterprise.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore.

L. Venkatarao
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department

To
The Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore.
The Deputy Conservator, Shimoga District.
The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
The Founder of Sri Paramukti Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarishi Balamuryasi of Himalayas, Jasmer Town, Bangalore-1.
The Weekly Gazette.

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No.MDB/P13/59&60

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN,
MALNAD DEVELOPMENT BOARD,
VIDHANA SOUDHA,

Bangalore-1, dated April,.....*195*9.

Sub:- Grant of land in S.No.54 of Devarahalli for starting a Forest College.
Ref:- Letter No.APD 38 FLD 58 Dt. 10-2-59.

Please intimate the stage at which the matter stands regarding the subject mentioned above.

A. R. BADRINARAYAN,
Chairman, Malnad Development Board.

TO GOVT. AGRICULTURE & FOREST DEPTT. 4365 15 APR 1959

Dy. Secretary,
Agril & Forest
Dept.

This file was submitted to the Secretary on 15th April 59.
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MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT No 3644 15 APR 1959 38 FLD 58 FOREST BRANCH

Govt orders have been issued on 8-5-59.
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SUBJECT.....

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Read ORDER

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Government direct of even no. that the G.O., dated 8/5/59 reserving 50 acres on lease of land, viz Sy. No. 54 of Order thereon.—No. Devarahally, to Sriparasakti Vidyalaya, Bhovi, Bhadravathi Taluk, Shimoga held be kept in abeyance until further Orders

By order etc.

18/5/59

To

(As in previous G.O.)

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Mysore Government Secretariat,
Vidhana Soudha,
Bangalore, Dated, the 19th May 1959

ORDER

Sub:- Grant of 50 acres of Forest land in S.No.54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk for starting a Forest College, Polytechnic etc., to the Founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas.

...

Government direct that the Government Order of even No. dated 8/5/59 sanctioning 50 acres of land on lease in S.No.54 of Devarahally /to Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Bangalore-1, should be held in abeyance until further orders.

/Bhadravati Taluk,

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore,

P. Venkataraman

(P. Venkataraman)
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department

19/5

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore.
The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.
The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
The Founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas, Tasker Town, Bangalore-1.
The Weekly Gazette.

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SUBJECT Grant of land in S. No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk, for starting a Forest College, by Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Tasker Town, B'lore. L

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Read— The D C. B'lore.

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to this office letter of even no. dated Order thereon:—No. 19/3/59 and subsequent Govt orders AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 8-5-59 and 19-5-59. and to request you State that it is desirable to ~~give~~ grant the land and give possession of it only after the antecedents of the person

and his capacity to build the College are enquired into ~~for~~ in detail.

I am therefore to request you kindly to submit ~~to Govt~~ immediately a report on the points raised above for consideration of Govt.

Yours

Asst
24/5/57.

D/S
D47.

List of Enclosures.

1) Copy to the D.C. Shimoga. ~~for~~ with a request to send ~~submit~~ a similar report in the matter.

2) ~~Copy to the C.E., B'lore,~~ ~~with a request that to act~~ ~~in~~

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26/5/57.

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AFD 38 FLD 58 dt 30-5-59

The

Agriculture & Forest Department

The Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Sub:- Grant of land in S.No. 64 of Devarahally, Bhadravati Taluk for starting a Forest College by Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Tasker Town, Bangalore-1.

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I am directed to invite your attention to this office letter of even No. dated 19-3-1959 and subsequent Government Orders No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 8-5-59 and 19-5-59 and to state that it is desirable to grant the land and give possession of it only after the antecedents of the person and his capacity to build the College are enquired into in detail.

I am therefore to request you kindly to submit immediately a report on the points raised above for consideration of Government.

Yours faithfully,

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(P. Venkataraman)
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department

Copy to the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga with a request to send a similar report in the matter.

P. Venkataraman

(P. Venkataraman)
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department

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No.M2.PR.798/58-59.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District,
Bangalore, dated 14th July 1959.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Agricultural and Forest Department,
B A N G A L O R E :

Sir,

Sub:-Grant of land in S.No.54 of Devenahalli Bhadrawathi taluk for starting a forest college by Parasakthividyalaya, Tasker town, Bangalore-1.

Ref:-Your letter No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 30.5.59.

I enclose a copy of report No.D.PR.202/58-59 dated 26.6.59 received from the Tahasildar, Bangalore North Taluk on the above subject for perusal of Government.

Yours faithfully,

Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

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Copy of Report No.D.PR.202/58-59 dated 26.6.59 from the Tahasildar, Bangalore North taluk to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

Re:-Grant of 50 acres of forest land in S.No.54 of Devnehalli in Bhadrawathi taluk to the founder of Sri. Parasakthividyalaya.

With reference to your letter No.Bl.2.PR.798/58-59 dated the 5th instant on the above subject, I write to state that the founder of Parasaktividyala is one by name Raja Rishi Balasanyasi. He is an aged man and told me that was 85 years in age. He says he came to Mysore as long back as 1921 and joined service as astrologer to His Highness. He is editing a journal by name Shanthi which many Village Panchayets are purchasing. He is running a primary school at Bhadrawati and a nursery school at Palace Guttahalli. He is now residing in a rental building where he is runing the Parasakthividyalya The activities of the Vidyalaya are not known. He told it was purely spiritual.

His desire in acquiring land at Bhadrawathi is to start a forest college and a polytechnique. He has prepared a plan also for this purpose. He has no money at present. It seems several persons have promised to done money in case the land is sanctioned.

/ Copy /

B Radhakrishna
for Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

MY/-

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Government of Mysore.

Mysore Government Secretariat,
Vidhanasoudha,

No.A.F.D. 38 FLD. 58. Bangalore, Dated, the 19th May 1959.

O r d e r.

Subject:- Grant of 50 acres of Forest land in S.No. 54 of Devanahally Bhadravathi Taluk for starting a Forest college, Polytechnic etc., to the founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas.

Government direct that the Government Order of even number dated 8-5-59 sanctioning 50 acres of land on lease in S.No. 54 of Devarahally Bhadravati Taluk to Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Bangalore 1, should be held in obeyance until further orders.

By order and in the name of the
Governor of Mysore.

Sd.P.Venkataraman,
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Agric lture & Forest Department.

To

The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

"C O P Y".

For Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

MV.

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Subject:- Grant of 50 acres of Forest Land in S.No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk for starting a Forest College, Plytechnic etc., to the Founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas.

Government of Mysore.
Agriculture and Forest Department.
G.O. No. A.F.D. 38 FLD. 58 dated the 8th May 1959.

Read:- Representation No. 298/58-59 dated 24-8-58 from the Founder of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Tasker Town, Bangalore 1. requesting for grant of 50 acres of land on lease in F.S.No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluk for starting a Forest College etc.,

2. Letter No. B3. 163-1674/58/59 dated 10-12-59 from the Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore furnishing his opinion in the matter.

O r d e r. After a careful consideration of all the aspects and circumstances of the claim, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the grant of 50 acres of land on lease in F.S.No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi taluk, Shimoga District, to the founder Sri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas of Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya subject to the conditions stipulated below.

1. The land is granted on lease free of any levy on condition that he should use it only for philanthropic purposes.
2. That if he does not put up the college buildings fully within three years, the land will be summarily resumed by Government without giving any reason.
3. That he should not fell any tree in the area without the permission of the Forest Department.
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2. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangalore, is requested to take action accordingly and hand over the area referred to above after it is measured and demarcated to the petitioner and keep Government posted with progress of this enterprise.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore.

Sd.P.Venkataramana
Deputy Secretary to Government
Agriculture & Forest Department.

Letter No. A.F.38, F.L.D. 58 dated 30th May 1959 from the Secretary to Goverment of Mysore, Agriculture and Forest Department, to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

Subject:- Grant of land in S.No. 54 of Devarahally, Bhadravati taluk for starting a Forest College by Sri Parasakti Vidyalaya, Tasker Town, Bangalore 1.

I am directed to invite your attention to this office letter of even number dated 19-3-59 and subsequent Government Orders No. A.F.D. 38 FLD. 58 dated 8-5-59 and 19-5-59 and to state that it is desirable to grant the land and give possession of it only after the antecendents of the person and his capacity to build the college are enquired into in detail.

I am therefore to request you kindly to submit immediately a report on the points raised above for consideration of Government.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District,
Bangalore, Dated, 5th June 1959

No.M2. P.R. 798/58-59.

Memo.

Copy of the above, together with copy of Government order dated 8-5-59 and 19-5-59 forwarded to the Tahsildar, Bangalore North taluk for personal enquiry and report very urgently.

For Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

MV.

Gpl. 16109
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S.A. Mannan, B.A.,LL.B.,

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17.9.59

D.O.No.AFD 38 FLD 58

Dear Dr. Kadambi,

Please refer to the correspondence resting with Government Order No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 19-5-59 regarding grant of 50 acres of forest land in S.No.54 of Devarahally, Bhadravathi Taluka for starting a forest College etc., to Shri Balasanyasi of Himalayas and my to-day's talk on Phone with Shri Shymasundar.

2. Some people have complained to the Chief Minister that Sri Balasanyasi has already entered upon the land in question and is cutting the trees. If this is a fact, Government feels, that it is undoubtedly at the connivance of some lower subordinates of the area, and that the fact should be enquired into immediately. May I therefore request to be so good as to depute immediately an officer to the spot and submit a report to Government within three days in the matter? I will also request you to take such steps as are necessary to ensure that nobody is allowed to enter upon the said land without the prior permission of Government.

Yours sincerely,

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Dr. K. Kadambi, M.Sc.,D.Sc.,(Munich)
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Bangalore.

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Copy of the letter No. 1329 dated 18-9-59 from the District Forest Officer, Bhadravathi to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Sub:- Grant of 50 acres of land etc., in S.No.54 of Devarahalli.

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Ref:- Your D.O. letter No.B3.167-1674/58 dated 17-9-59 to Shri D. Lingiah, I.A.S., Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, Shimoga and copied to me.

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I personally went to Devarahalli and inspected the area of Minor Forest in S.No.54 of the village with the Village Patel by going up and down the area and particularly the area that was proposed to be given to Shri Parasakti Vidyalaya Shri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalayas. There is no trace of any clearing of Forest by the party or any body else. Two distributaries from the mainB.R.R.B. Channel are being dug in the S.No. and clearance of about 40 feet width has been made along the routes. On enquiry with the Patel and Other village people, it transpired that neither the founder of the Vidyalaya nor any representative of his is seen ~~xxx~~ in that village nor they are even heard of except 2 years back when the scheme was under active consideration.

There is however some clearing over two acres about 100 yards away from the Western Boundary of the S.No. 54 and that area falls outside the Minor Forest S.No.54 and within the boundary of the village Kachagondanahalli as verified by me.

It was stated by the Village Patel that this area under clearance is a Revenue land granted by Revenue authorities to one Shri Pundu Rao of Devarahalli for cultivation. This will be further verified and intimated.

P.T.O.

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No.B3.167-1674/58 Chief Conservator's Office,

Bangalore, dated 21st September 59.

Copy of the overleaf is submitted to the Secretary to Government of Mysore, Agriculture and Forest Department, Bangalore with reference to his personal phone message and with reference to D.O. letter No. AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 17-9-59 from the Deputy Secretary to Government, Agriculture and Forest Department, Bangalore, for kind information.

2. Copy ~~submitted~~ to the Private Secretary to the Chief Minister of Mysore, for favour of ~~his~~ information of the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

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Copy of the letter No. 1329 dated 18-9-59 from the District Forest Officer, Bhadravathi to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore; Bengalore.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MINISTER OF MYSORE
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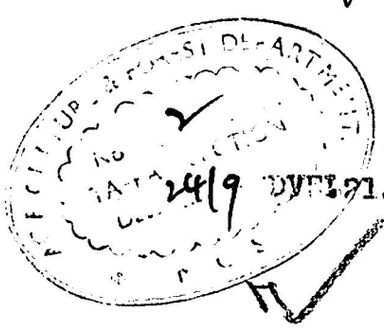

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For kind perusal.

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Secy (Agri) 21/9

Action has been taken on this & this may be filed in the concerned file.

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SUBJECT Grant of 50 acres of land etc. in S.no. 54 of Devarahalli

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To

~~Read~~ The CCJ,

Sir,

Ref:- Your letter no. B3-167-1674/58 dt 21-9-59

With to the above, I am directed to request you kindly to send the final report in the matter early. I am also to state that Govt is not in favour of the grant of the land asked for by ~~the~~ by Shri Ramsahib Venkataya of Tirumalaya. Rajarishi Mahasamsthana desires to request you in order of the above to inform the Parashakti Vidyalaya accordingly of the decision of Govt in the matter.

grant/land cannot be complied with

2- I am also to request you to submit to Govt your final report in the matter if not yet sent. The case has been recalled from the D.P.O. Orderly. Clerk 5/10.

Yrs

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The
Agriculture & Forest Department

The Chief Conservator of Forests,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Sub:- Grant of 50 acres of land etc., in S.No.54 of Devarahalli.

Ref:- Your letter No.B3-167-1674/58 dated 21-9-59.

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With reference to the above, I am directed to state that Government is not in favour of the grant of land asked for by Shri Rajarishi Balasanyasi of Himalaya. I am therefore to request you to inform the Parasakti Vidyalaya that its request for the grant of land cannot be complied with.

2. I am also to request you to submit to Government your final report in the matter if further report has been received from the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati.

Yours faithfully,

(T. Siddalingadevaru)
Under Secretary to Government,
Agriculture & Forest Department

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No.B3-167-1674/58-59/1

Chief Conservator's Office,
Bangalore, dated 22-12-1959.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Agriculture and Forest Department,
Bangalore.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. 12305
24 DEC 1959
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AGRICULTURE & FORESTS DEPARTMENT
No. 22
TAPPAL SECTION
Date 24/12

Sir,

Sub:-Grant of lands in S.No.54 of Devanahalli, Bhadravati Taluk

Ref:-Your letter No.AFD 38 FLD 58 dated 16-10-1959.

I enclose a copy of report No.1823 dated 28-11-1959 received from the DistrictForest Officer, Bhadravati for kind perusal. It can be seen therefrom that the area granted by the Revenue Department is outside the limits of Devarahalli Minor Forest and that there has been no encroachment of lands within the Minor Forest by any body.

Yours faithfully,

(K.KADAMBI)
Chief Conservator of Forests.

Copy of letter No.1823 dated 28th November 1959 from the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore.

Sub:-Grant of lands in S.No.54 of Devarahalli, Bhadravati Taluk further report - submission of -

Ref:-1. This office No.1329 dated 18-9-1959.
2. Chief Conservator of Forest's reference No.B3-167-1674 dated 5-11-1959.

With reference to the above, I write to state that the Range Forest Officer, Bhadravati who was asked to verify the details of the grant of lands in the area adjoining to S.No.54 of Devarahalli, Bhadravati Taluk, has since reported that the Revenue authorities have sanctioned about 10 acres of land in S.No.15 of Kachegondanahalli on the western border of S.No.54 of Deverahalli and that this area in S.No.15 of Kachagondanahalli which has been granted to one Sri Pundalika Rao Ex-Employee of the Mysore Iron and Steel Works, Bhadravati does not come within the limits of Deverahalli Minor Forest. As such there has been no encroachment of lands in S.No.54 of Deverahalli (Minor Forest) by anybody.

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AS/17/12.